RESOLUTION NO. 2012-203

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING CLAYTON COUNTY TO ENTER INTO A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING (M.O.U.) WITH FULTON COUNTY, GEORGIA, FOR THE OPERATION OF A JOINT ANTI-DRUG TASK FORCE; TO AUTHORIZE THE CHAIRMAN TO EXECUTE THE MOU; AND OTHERWISE PERFORM ALL ACTS NECESSARY TO ACCOMPLISH THE INTENT OF THIS RESOLUTION; TO AUTHORIZE THE FINANCE DIRECTOR TO AMEND THE BUDGET WHERE NECESSARY TO REFLECT AN APPROPRIATE REVENUE SOURCE AND EXPENSE ALL AS MAY BE REQUIRED UNDER THE TERMS OF THE MOU; TO PROVIDE AN EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS RESOLUTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, Clayton County recognizes that drug trafficking does not follow jurisdictional lines; and

WHEREAS, the Clayton County Police Department and the Fulton County Police Department wish to jointly operate a task force to target multi-jurisdictional drug traffickers who operate in both counties; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners deems it in the best interest of Clayton County and the County will best be served by entering into a Memorandum of Understanding with Fulton County for the stated reasons; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF CLAYTON COUNTY, GEORGIA AND IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED

Section 1. The Board of Commissioners hereby authorizes Clayton County to enter into a M.O.U. with Fulton County for the operation of a Joint Anti-Drug Task Force. The Board of Commissioners also authorizes the Chairman of the Board to execute a Memorandum of

Understanding (MOU) with Fulton County for the operation of a Joint Anti-Drug Task Force to target drug traffickers who operate in both counties. The Board of Commissioners also authorizes the Chairman to otherwise perform all acts necessary to accomplish the intent of this Resolution. Further, the Board of Commissioners authorizes the Director of Finance to amend the budget where necessary to reflect an appropriate revenue source and expense, all as may be required under the terms of the MOU.

Section 2. This Resolution shall be effective on the date of its approval by the Board of Commissioners.

SO RESOLVED, this the 2 day of October, 2012.

CLAYTON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

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